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Applicants: Richard W. Molstad et al. Confirmation No. 3449

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 24, 2004, the period of response for which runs through June 24, 2004, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification are reflected in the substitute specification attached herewith. A redlined copy and a clean copy of the new specification are being provided.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are reflected in the attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including a clean copy of the new specification, a redlined copy of the new specification, and a drawing replacement sheet is attached following page 8 of this paper.

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Enclosed is an **Amendment** in the above-identified application.

The fee for this amendment is computed as follows:

| Claims As Amended | | | | | | |
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| (1) | (2) Claims Remaining After Amendment | (3) | (4) Highest No. Previously Paid For | (5) Present Extra | (6) Rate | (7) Additional Fee |
| Total Claims | 27 | Minus | 20 | = 7 | x \$18. | =\$ 126. |
| Independent Claims | 5 | Minus | *** 3 | = 2 | x \$84. | =\$ 168. |
| Additional fee for filing one or more multiple dependent claims, if no such fee has been previously paid | | | | | \$280. | \$ |
| | | | | | Total Additional Fee For This Amendment → | \$ 294. |

Please charge to Deposit Account O9-0069 any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application. This authorization includes the fee for any extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) that may be necessary. To the extent any such extension should become necessary it is hereby requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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